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3-Mercaptoacetylamino-1,5-substituted-2-oxo-azepan Derivatives Useful as
Inhibitors of Matrix Metalloproteinase

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

Dear Sir:

Applicants request entry of the following amendment.